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Re: **MUR 5414**

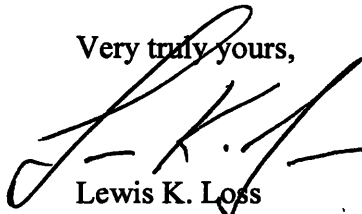
Dear Mr. Jordan

We are counsel for respondent the Commission on Presidential Debates ("CPD") in connection with the above-referenced matter. I am enclosing a copy of the CPD's Statement of Designation of Counsel, as completed and executed by Janet H. Brown, Executive Director of the CPD.

We respectfully request a 20-day extension of time in which to respond to the allegations of the complaint. The complaint includes factual allegations spanning several decades and attributes statements to many different individuals. Although the complaint is entirely without merit, a thorough response will require a good deal of leg work.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,



Lewis K. Loss

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Enclosure

cc: Ms. Janet H. Brown

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# STATEMENT OF DESIGNATION OF COUNSEL

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The above-named individual is hereby designated as my counsel and is authorized to receive any notifications and other communications from the Commission and to act on my behalf before the Commission.

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